Attorney Docket No: PD-20005

Customer No: 20991

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: John BORDER

Application No: 09/662,072 Filed:

September 14, 2000

For: PERFORMANCE ENHANCING PROXY AND METHOD FOR ENHANCING PERFORMANCE Art Unit:

2157

Examiner:

El Chanti, H.

## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

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**Technology Center 2100** 

Sir:

Transmitted herev	vith is an ame	ndment in the	above-identified	application.
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- Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
- П An extension for \_\_\_ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- $\boxtimes$ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
- Ø The fee for claims is calculated below.

_	CLAIMS AS AMENDED									
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT	-	ADDITIONAL FEE			
					<b>EXTRA</b>	<u>RATE</u>				
TOTAL CLAIMS	55	-	60	=	0 x	\$ 18.00 =	\$	0.00		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	- 3	_	3	=	0 x	\$ 86.00 =	\$	0.00		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					N (Y/N)	\$ 290.00 =	\$	0.00		
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:							\$	0.00		

Please charge \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0383. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

Respectfully submitted,

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